

APPENDIX

Survey of Post-Secondary School Enrollment 1973

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BUREAU OF THE CENSUSSURVEY OF POST-SECONDARY
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NOTICE - All information which would permit identification of the individual will be held in strict confidence, and will be used by persons engaged in and for the purposes of the survey. The information will not be disclosed or released to others for any purposes.

Dear

The Office of Education of the U.S. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare has asked the Bureau of the Census to obtain information from persons currently enrolled in college or taking any business, technical, or vocational courses. The information gathered in this study will be of great value in helping students plan the financing of their education. Data obtained will also aid government and private agencies in planning educational financial assistance programs.

Please complete the questions inside this form within FIVE DAYS and return it in the enclosed preaddressed envelope. Since this study is based on a scientific sample of the total population, it is important that each person return a completed questionnaire.

The Bureau of the Census treats as confidential all the information you provide. The results of this voluntary survey will be issued only in the form of statistical totals from which no individual can be identified.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,



VINCENT P. BARABBA
Director
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Enclosure

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a. Interviewer code	b. CC 6	c. CC 13	d. CC 18	e. CC 20	f. CC 21	g. At sample address	h. FE	i. NR
				1 <input type="checkbox"/>	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	1 <input type="checkbox"/> YES		
				2 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/> NO		
				3 <input type="checkbox"/>				

**Please
read
carefully**

1. Please answer each question carefully. If you do not have the exact information, make the best estimate you can.
2. Some questions will have instructions telling when you may SKIP to another question. Follow these instructions carefully so that you will answer only the questions that apply to you.
3. If you are attending more than one educational institution, respond only for one school.

Section A – ALL PERSONS (Fill pages 2 through 6)

1. Are you attending or enrolled in college?

- (110) 1 ☐ Yes – SKIP to question 3
2 ☐ No

2. Are you taking any business, vocational, or technical courses at any school?

- (111) 1 ☐ Yes
2 ☐ No – If you have answered "No" to both questions 1 and 2,
SKIP to question 21a on page 5

3. Did you complete high school by graduating from a regular high school or by taking a high school equivalency test?

- (112) 1 ☐ Yes, regular high school graduation
2 ☐ Yes, took a high school equivalency test
3 ☐ No, I have not completed high school – SKIP to question 5

4. In what month and year did you receive your high school diploma or certificate?

- (113) _____ Month _____ Year

5. Mark the one type of school at which you are currently enrolled.

- (114) 1 ☐ Mark here if you are taking courses at more than one type of school, and respond in terms of your primary choice.

- (115) 1 ☐ University
2 ☐ Four-year college
3 ☐ Two-year community or junior college
4 ☐ Business or commercial school
5 ☐ Technical, vocational, or trade school
6 ☐ Flight school
7 ☐ Correspondence school
8 ☐ Hospital school
9 ☐ Beauty or barber school
10 ☐ Company training school
11 ☐ Other school – Specify _____

6. With whom do you live while you are attending school? (Mark one)

- (116) 1 ☐ By myself
2 ☐ Parents
3 ☐ Husband, wife, or own children
4 ☐ Other relative(s)
5 ☐ Person(s) not related to you

7. How would you describe your current living quarters?

- (117) 1 ☐ Private house or apartment
2 ☐ Dormitory or apartment operated by the school or college
3 ☐ Fraternity or sorority house
4 ☐ Rooming or boarding house
5 ☐ Other – Specify _____

8. Do you consider yourself to be financially independent of your parents?

- (118) 1 ☐ Yes
2 ☐ No

9. Do you have dependent children?

- (119) 1 ☐ No
2 ☐ Yes – How many? 2

- (120) _____

10. Did you attend a college, university, post high school vocational or technical school anytime before July 1, 1973?

- (121) 1 ☐ Yes
2 ☐ No

11a. Did you live with your parents or guardians for any period of more than 2 consecutive weeks (except for brief holiday periods) during 1972?

- (122) 1 ☐ Yes
2 ☐ No

b. Did you or do you expect to during 1973?

- (123) 1 ☐ Yes
2 ☐ No

c. Do you expect to during 1974?

- (124) 1 ☐ Yes
2 ☐ No

12a. Were you listed as an exemption on your parents' or guardians' federal income tax return(s) for 1972?

- (125) 1 ☐ Yes
2 ☐ No

b. Were you or do you expect to be for 1973?

- (126) 1 ☐ Yes
2 ☐ No

c. Do you expect to be for 1974?

- (127) 1 ☐ Yes
2 ☐ No

13a. Did you receive \$600 or more in financial assistance from your parents or guardians during 1972?

- (128) 1 ☐ Yes
2 ☐ No

b. Did you or do you expect it during 1973?

- (129) 1 ☐ Yes
2 ☐ No

c. Do you expect it during 1974?

- (130) 1 ☐ Yes
2 ☐ No

14. Approximately how much do you expect to earn between July 1973 and June 1974 in -

a. Wages and/or salary income before deductions? (131)

b. Net self-employment income? (132)

(133)

Dollars only

\$ _____ . 00

\$ _____ . 00

OR (Mark (X) box if none)

1 ☐ None

15. What do you expect YOUR total educational expenses to be between July 1973 and June 1974, regardless of who pays them?

If your spouse or other dependents are attending college, or a business, vocational, or technical school, DO NOT include their educational expenses here.

a. Tuition and fees (134)

b. Books and supplies (135)

c. Transportation to and from class (136)

(137)

Dollars only

\$ _____ . 00

\$ _____ . 00

\$ _____ . 00

OR (Mark (X) box if none)

1 ☐ None

16. What do you expect your living expenses to be, INCLUDING those of your wife or husband and dependents, between July 1973 and June 1974?

Include such expenses as dormitory fees, rent or mortgage payments, food or board, transportation, child care, medical and dental expenses, debt repayment, recreation, and other living expenses. Exclude expenses listed in item 15.

(138) \$ _____ . 00
(Dollars only)

(139) 1 ☐ Mark here if this item was also completed on spouse's or dependent's questionnaire.

17. Approximately how much of the expenses listed in questions 15 and 16 do you expect to derive from the following sources, between July 1973 and June 1974?

		Dollars only	Mark (X) box if none
a. Personal savings	(140)	\$ _____ . 00	or 0 <input type="checkbox"/>
b. Earnings while taking courses	(141)	_____ . 00	or 0 <input type="checkbox"/>
c. Spouse's earnings or savings	(142)	_____ . 00	or 0 <input type="checkbox"/>
d. Parents	(143)	_____ . 00	or 0 <input type="checkbox"/>
e. College Work-Study Program	(144)	_____ . 00	or 0 <input type="checkbox"/>
f. National Defense Student Loan Program	(145)	_____ . 00	or 0 <input type="checkbox"/>
g. Educational Opportunity Grant Program	(146)	_____ . 00	or 0 <input type="checkbox"/>
h. Federally Guaranteed Student Loan Program	(147)	_____ . 00	or 0 <input type="checkbox"/>
i. Basic Educational Opportunity Grants Program	(148)	_____ . 00	or 0 <input type="checkbox"/>
j. Veterans' Administration Benefits (GI Bill or Pension)	(149)	_____ . 00	or 0 <input type="checkbox"/>
k. Personal loan	(150)	_____ . 00	or 0 <input type="checkbox"/>
l. State scholarship or grant	(151)	_____ . 00	or 0 <input type="checkbox"/>
m. Local or private scholarship or grant	(152)	_____ . 00	or 0 <input type="checkbox"/>
n. Social Security benefits for students age 18 to 22 (for children of retired, disabled, or deceased parents)	(153)	_____ . 00	or 0 <input type="checkbox"/>
o. Public assistance	(154)	_____ . 00	or 0 <input type="checkbox"/>
p. School expenses paid for or reimbursed by your employer	(155)	_____ . 00	or 0 <input type="checkbox"/>
q. Other sources	(156)	\$ _____ . 00	or 0 <input type="checkbox"/>

18. The Federal Government awards money to students to help them pay for their education. Listed below are some examples of these programs:

- Federally Insured Student Loan Program
- Basic Educational Opportunity Grants Program
- National Defense Student Loan Program
- College Work-Study Program

Have you heard or read about the Basic Educational Opportunity Grants Program?

(157) 1 ☐ Yes
2 ☐ No - SKIP to question 21a on page 5

19. Mark all of the places you have heard or read about the Basic Educational Opportunity Grants Program.

(158)

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- 1 ☐ Received an application through the MAIL
 2 ☐ Saw a display in the POST OFFICE
 3 ☐ Heard through an AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION AGENT
 4 ☐ Heard in a STATE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE
 5 ☐ Heard a RADIO or TV announcement
 6 ☐ Heard in a COLLEGE OFFICE (admissions, financial aid, etc.)
 7 ☐ Heard from a HIGH SCHOOL COUNSELOR
 8 ☐ Heard through a PRECOLLEGE PROGRAM (Upward Bound, Talent Search Seek, etc.)
 9 ☐ Other - Specify _____

(159)

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20. Have you applied to the Basic Educational Opportunity Grants Program for financial assistance?

(160)

- 1 ☐ Yes
 2 ☐ No

If you were personally interviewed in October of this year by a Bureau of the Census field representative SKIP questions 21-29, and read the instructions above section B on page 7.

21a. What were you doing during the week of October 8-14, 1973?

(Mark the first box below that BEST describes your activities that week.)

(161)

- 1 ☐ I worked at a job, or in my business or profession, or on a farm } SKIP to question 22
 2 ☐ I had a job, profession, or business from which I was temporarily absent for reasons other than layoff } Answer questions b and c below
 3 ☐ I was looking for work or on layoff from a job }
 4 ☐ I did housework in my own home } SKIP to question 22
 5 ☐ I attended school }
 6 ☐ I am permanently unable to work at any job }
 7 ☐ I am retired }
 8 ☐ None of the above applies to me }

b. Why were you absent from work during the week of October 8-14?

(162)

- 1 ☐ I was ill
 2 ☐ I was on vacation
 3 ☐ Bad weather prohibited my getting to work or did not allow for the type of work I do
 4 ☐ A labor dispute made it impossible to attend work
 5 ☐ My NEW job was not to begin until after November 13
 6 ☐ I was on a layoff expected to last less than 30 days
 7 ☐ I was on layoff for more than 30 days or did not have a definite recall date
 8 ☐ Other - Specify _____

c. Do you usually work 35 hours or more a week at this job?

(163)

- 1 ☐ Yes } SKIP to question 29 on page 6
 2 ☐ No }

22. During the week of October 8-14, how many hours did you work at all jobs?

(Remember to deduct any time off and to add any overtime or extra hours you worked.)

(164)

- _____ Hours { If 35 hours or more, SKIP to question 29 on page 6;
 OR If 1-34 hours, continue with question 23
 0 ☐ I did not work during the week of October 8-14 - SKIP to question 24

23. Do you usually work 35 hours or more a week at your present job?

(165)

- 1 ☐ Yes } SKIP to question 29 on page 6
 2 ☐ No }

24. Have you been looking for work or been on layoff during the 4 weeks prior to October 14?

(166)

- 1 ☐ Yes, looking for work
- 2 ☐ Yes, on indefinite layoff (more than 30 days)
- 3 ☐ Yes, on temporary layoff (less than 30 days)
- 4 ☐ No — SKIP to page 7 and read the instructions above section B

25. What were you doing in the 4 weeks prior to October 14 to find work?

(167)

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Checked with — (Mark all methods used)

- 1 ☐ Public employment agency
- 2 ☐ Private employment agency
- 3 ☐ Employer directly
- 4 ☐ Friends and relatives
- 5 ☐ Placed or answered ads
- 6 ☐ Other — Specify _____
- 7 ☐ Nothing — SKIP to page 7 and read the instructions above section B.

26. How many weeks had you been looking for work or on layoff from your job prior to October 14?

(168)

_____ Weeks

27. Were you looking for full-time or part-time work? (If on layoff — Is your job full time or part time?)

(169)

- 1 ☐ Full time
- 2 ☐ Part time

28. Is there any reason why you could not take a job during the week of October 14?

(170)

☐ Yes — Why? 2

- 1 ☐ I already had a job
- 2 ☐ I was temporarily ill
- 3 ☐ I was attending school
- 4 ☐ Other — Specify _____
- 5 ☐ No

29. Describe (in a–e below) the job you held during the week of October 8–14 and give the name of your employer. If you did not have a job but looked for work in the 4 weeks prior to October 14, describe your last job or business.

a. For whom did you work? (Name of company, business, organization, or other employer)

b. What kind of business or industry was this? (For example: county junior high school, auto assembly plant, TV and radio repair service, retail supermarket, road construction, farm)

c. What kind of work were you doing? (For example: paint sprayer, 8th grade English teacher, TV repairman, grocery checker, civil engineer, farmer, farm hand)

d. What were your most important activities or duties? (For example: painting houses, keeping account books, selling cars, operating printing press, finishing concrete)

e. Were you — (Mark one)

(171)

- 1 ☐ An employee of a PRIVATE company, business, or individual for wages, salary, or commissions?
- 2 ☐ An employee of the Federal government?
- 3 ☐ An employee of the State government?
- 4 ☐ An employee of the local government?
- ☐ Self-employed in own business, professional practice, or farm?
Is this business incorporated?
- 5 ☐ Yes 6 ☐ No
- 7 ☐ Working WITHOUT PAY in a family business or farm?
- 8 ☐ Never worked

If the course or program of instruction you have been describing is a **BUSINESS, TECHNICAL, OR VOCATIONAL COURSE**, please complete section B below. If you have been describing your **COLLEGE** curriculum, complete section C on page 8. If you are not a student, end questions and return this questionnaire.

Section B – BUSINESS, TECHNICAL, OR VOCATIONAL STUDENTS only

1. What is the name and address of the school you are attending?

Name _____

City _____ State _____

2. Is this a publicly or privately owned school?

(172)

1 ☐ Public

2 ☐ Private

3. Are you classified by your school as attending full time or part time?

(173)

1 ☐ Full time

2 ☐ Part time

3 ☐ Not classified or don't know

4. Does the school you are currently attending use a credit hour system?

(174)

1 ☐ Yes

2 ☐ No – SKIP to question 6

5a. What type of credit hour system does your school use?

(175)

1 ☐ Semester

2 ☐ Trimester

3 ☐ Quarter

4 ☐ Other

b. For how many credit hours are you currently enrolled?

(176)

_____ Credit hours – SKIP to question 7

6. How many hours do you attend class in 1 week? (Do NOT include time spent in libraries or traveling to class.)

(177)

_____ Hours

7. Are you attending school in order to obtain a certificate or degree?

(178)

1 ☐ Yes

2 ☐ No – SKIP to question 10

8. What type of certificate or degree do you expect to receive? (Please furnish the entire name of the certificate or degree, do NOT use initials.)

9. How long is the complete program for the degree or certificate you expect to receive?

(179)

1 ☐ Less than 6 months

2 ☐ 6 months to 1 year

3 ☐ 2 years (13–24 months)

4 ☐ 3 years (25–36 months)

5 ☐ 4 years (37–48 months)

6 ☐ 5 years or more (49 or more months)

7 ☐ Not in a program leading to degree or certificate

10. Have you completed any college courses for credit toward a degree?

(180)

1 ☐ Yes

2 ☐ No – END questions and return the questionnaire in the envelope provided

11. How many hours have you completed?

(181)

☐ Semester

(183)

☐ Quarter

(182)

☐ Trimester

(184)

☐ Other

_____ Credit hours

Section C – COLLEGE STUDENTS only

1. Are you classified by your school as attending full time or part time?

(185)

1 ☐ Full time

2 ☐ Part time

2. Are you classified by your school as being an in-State or out-of-State student?

(186)

1 ☐ In-State

2 ☐ Out-of-State

3 ☐ It does not apply

3a. What type of credit hour system does your school use?

(187)

1 ☐ Semester

2 ☐ Trimester

3 ☐ Quarter

b. For how many credit hours are you currently enrolled?

(188)

_____ Credit hours

4. Are you attending school in order to obtain a degree?

(189)

1 ☐ Yes

2 ☐ No – END questions and return the questionnaire

5. Mark the next degree that you expect to receive.

(190)

1 ☐ Associate's degree

2 ☐ Bachelor's degree

3 ☐ Master's degree

4 ☐ Doctorate's degree

5 ☐ Professional degree (M.D., D.D.S., LL.D., etc.)

6 ☐ Other – Specify _____

6. How long is the complete program for the degree you expect to receive?

(191)

1 ☐ Less than 2 years (less than 24 months)

2 ☐ 2 years (24 months)

3 ☐ 3 years (25–36 months)

4 ☐ 4 years (37–48 months)

5 ☐ 5 years or more (49 or more months)

7. How many undergraduate credit hours have you completed toward a degree?

(192)

☐ Semester

(193)

☐ Trimester

(194)

☐ Quarter

_____ Credit hours

(195)

1 ☐ None

(196)

1 ☐ I am now attending graduate school

This completes the questionnaire. Please put the form in the preaddressed envelope provided and mail it to us.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION